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STATEMENT OF SENATOR SHAN S. TSUTSUI ON GOVERNORS RELEASE OF \$765,000 FOR H.P. BALDWIN HIGH SCHOOL

HONOLULU – Senator Shan S. Tsutsui (D-Central Maui) today issued a statement on Governor Lingle's release of \$765,000 for the design of a new library building at Henry Perrine Baldwin High School.

"I was pleased to learn of the Governors release of \$765,000 in design funds for Baldwin High Schools new and expanded library," said Tsutsui who is the Vice Chairman of the Senate Ways and Means Committee and also the Senate's Majority Caucus Leader.

The release of funds for the Baldwin High School library comes after months of contentious debate between Maui legislators who've lobbied in strong support of the library and the Governors office.

"This release of funds for Baldwin's library is long overdue," Tsutsui added. "They've waited a long time for this and I'm happy for the students and faculty. Kudos to the parents, students and teachers who lobbied tirelessly for this project."

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